SUBJECT No. 399.

The Nagannanakere anikat.

Mr. Sivappa, Tarikere Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It would be of immense advantage to the agriculturists and the general public as also the Tarikere Municipality, if the Kalhatti water is led into Ramanaikankere, Dalavaikere and Chikkatur tanks *via* Nagannankere anikat, Bhagavat katte and Sunnadahalli tank. When the question was brought before Government last year, they were pleased to order that the project would be taken up whenever funds become available. It is prayed that the matter may engage the earliest attention of Government.

NOTE.—It was also represented that a third of the cost of the project (*viz.*, Rs. 85,642) would be realized by way of contribution—10,000 rupees from the ryots, whose lands would be irrigated, and Rs. 10,000 by the Tarikere Municipality which would be able thus to provide a water supply to the tank and that another Rs. 20,000 might be realized by the sale of lands.

Reply of Government.—Will be considered. The D. P. W. will be requested to place this on the list of works to be taken up early.

SUBJECT No. 400.

Supply of drugs and herbs to the native dispensary at Tarikere.

Mr. Sivappa, Tarikere Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The native dispensary at Tarikere has been of great use to the people. In order that suitable medicines may be prepared by the pandit without loss of time in cases of urgent need, it is desirable and necessary that a good stock of drugs and herbs used for Hindu medicines should always be kept in store. The present contingent allotment to native dispensaries being inadequate, it is prayed that the Government will be pleased to make arrangements to supply them to these dispensaries periodically as English drugs, salts, etc., are supplied to hospitals and dispensaries in the State, or that the contingent allotment of the dispensary may be raised to enable the pandit to purchase and always have in store the necessary drugs and herbs. Attached to the Vaidyasala, a plot of land may be acquired so that rare herbs which are not easily available may be grown, if possible. The present contingent allotment for the dispensary is Rs. 15 per month.

Reply of Government.—The contingent allotment for the Vaidyasala has recently been raised to Rs. 15. Government cannot keep a store of native drugs and medicines and supply them to Vaidyasalas.

SUBJECT No. 401.

A capable Lady Apothecary for Tarikere.

Messrs. Baba Sahib, Sharid Hussein Sahib and Sankanna, Tarikere Taluk. Sivappa, Tarikere Municipality.

Withdrawn.